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Douglas Lee Laid To Rest

Funeral services for Douglas 'Chub' Lee, eldest son of Mrs. Arthur Rowland, who met with a fatal accident in Vancouver last week, were held in the Raymond 1st Ward chapel on Sat. Jan. 29th, with Bishop J. O. Hicken conducting. The choir, under the direction of Eleanor Hudson, and with Beth Walker at the organ, sang the opening and closing numbers, "Sometime We'll Understand," and "Abide With Me." Jos. Nilsson offered the opening prayer after which Joe McLean sang by special request, "The Old Rugged Cross." Elmer Ririe of Magrath was the first speaker, who after extending sympathy to the family, spoke on life, death and the life hereafter. He said we should all live so that whether we live out three score years and ten or were called early in life as "Chub" was called, we should be prepared to face the inevitable. Herb Bishop and Laura Watson sang a duet, "Sunrise Tomorrow." Pres. J. Golden Snow then spoke comforting words to the family, and then explained the great purpose of life here and life hereafter, and eternity. Bishop Hicken gave the closing remarks, stating that "death is just a transfer of residence," and concluded by reading several Scripture passages. Clarence Allred offered the benediction.

David and Arthur Hudson, Morris Dahl, Melvin Medley, Joe Molnar and Howard Whipple were pallbearers.

Interment was in Temple Hill cemetery with Pres. John Allen offering the graveside prayer.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Gerun motored to the line on Sunday to meet her eldest son, Allan Dobson and Mrs. Dobson and children. The Dobsons have been living in Halifax and left there by car but met with an accident at Casper, Wyo. and had to continue by bus. They will visit here for a couple of weeks before moving to Victoria.

Skiff News

The Skiff skating rink has been improved somewhat with the addition of electric lights making night skating possible and more enjoyable.

Several men motored to Lacombe to attend a church conference they were; Rev. E. B. Anderson, John Wutzke, John Collins and Allan Collins.

Friends of Nolin Newton will be sorry to hear he is a patient in the Galt Hospital in Lethbridge.

Little Terry Wutzke is home from the hospital. He is the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Wutzke.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Collins have returned home from a trip to Edmonton and Lacombe.

Johnny Haraga is home from the hospital.

Several girl friends of Ethel Kuehn met at her home Saturday evening for a slumber party, and stayed to help her celebrate her birthday on Sunday.

Mrs. Florence Maynard of Lethbridge is spending a week visiting with Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Kirkwood.

Skiff residents were both surprised and disappointed Monday morning when Calgary Power went off and stayed off all day. Especially put out were the ladies who had planned or had already started washing clothes.

The Ladies' Missionary Benefit Circle met at the home of Mrs. John Filatoff Wednesday, February 2nd, for their monthly meeting. After the business meeting was dismissed a lovely lunch was served by the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Kieth Collins and Bonnie of Lethbridge were Sunday visitors in Skiff.

Mr. Smith a missionary from White Horse, Yukon, showed interesting slides of his territory at the Skiff Gospel Mission Sunday evening.

One of Raymonds oldest citizens recently celebrated his birthday.

C. W. Lamb, who has been in Raymond since 1903, reached the ripe old age of 82 or 83 January 27th. Mr. Lamb says he is not exactly sure just how old he is because he has two birth certificates each with a different year. At any rate - congratulations Mr. Lamb.

Chamber of Commerce Executive Secretary Talks To Local Group

At noon on Friday, January 28, the local Chamber of Commerce was host at a dinner in the Legion Hall that was attended by Mayor, President of the Chamber and other men interested in C of C work. The purpose of the meeting was to hear D. S. Griffin who is Alberta Manager of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce as well as executive Secretary of the Alberta Associated Chambers of Commerce.

After the delicious meal, prepared by Mrs. McKean and Mrs. Thompson President Alma Hancock introduced Mayor Taylor who offered official welcome to Mr. Griffin, saying that Raymond is not at the crossroads but rather between the crossroads making it necessary for the Town and its residents to work for everything they got, the line of improvements and that while the local Chamber did not hold many public meetings it was an active organization in working for the betterment of the Town. Mayor Taylor said that it was the people who made the Town and the people of this Town could be quite proud of the job they were doing.

Mr. Hancock then introduced Mr. Griffin, who outlined the history of the Chamber of Commerce work in Alberta. He said that this was his second stop here, last year he visited briefly with Arlidge Hill who was then President, and L. A. Wood, who was and is Secretary of the local group.

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Melba Woolley was hostess to the Wednesday Nite Club last week. Laree Dahl and Herta Gehmlich were special guests. Rook was played and high score prize was won by Anne Larsen and consolation went to Thelma Turner.

Wrentham Notes

Funeral services for the late Sarah Chisholm 91, who passed away in a local hospital on Monday were held from Christensen Bros. funeral parlor Wednesday afternoon. The Rev. Malcolm A. Mark officiated. A quartette consisting of Lorna Erickson, Allan Erickson, and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Rockenback sang, "Rest Rest Your Weary Soul" and a trio consisting of Mrs. Gay Erickson, Margaret and Jackie Baker sang, "In The Garden of Tomorrow".

Pall bearers were Stan Jones, Ray Heninger, Gordon McKenzie, Lyle Osborne, Frank Peta and Leonard Hirsche.

A resident of Wrentham for the past 32 years, Mrs. Chisholm passed away after a brief illness.

She is survived by her husband, Frank Chisholm, two sons, Bert of Cowley, and Robert of Wrentham, one daughter Mrs. Mable Wetherell of Lunbreck, 15 grandchildren, 25 great grandchildren and 4 great great grandchildren.

The regular meeting of the Home and School was held Tuesday evening with 20 members present.

February being "Founders Month" the meeting was conducted with that theme in mind. A reading, "How It All Got Started" was given by Betty Rockenback. Helen Jones then gave a review of the last 6 years activities of the Wrentham organization. A discussion on report cards was another item of interest. Educational remarks were given by Mr. Davidson and Mr. Tilbrook. Followed by a buzz session. The banner was tied for by rooms 3 and 4 and 5 and 6.

The Association will sponsor a tea and mens Fashion Parade on February 11th. Lunch was served.

A large crowd attended the Stake Green and Gold Ball on Saturday night held in the Stake Recreation Hall. Each Ward presented a floor show which was very colorful and greatly enjoyed.

Mr and Mrs. Orrin Turner arrived home Tuesday after a months holiday at Boise Idaho.

Mrs. V. Gerun entertained in honor of her husbands birthday last Saturday evening. A pleasant evening was had and Mr. Gerun received a number of nice gifts.

Emma Dahl was hostess to the Ladies Literary Club last week. Mrs. Tillie Wilde of Welling gave the book review. 11 members and special guests Ruth Salmon, Sarah Holt, Dot Witbeck, Ella Hancock, Laverne Anderson and Phoebe Dahl were present.

Touring The Town With Amy

—Amy Campbell

This week we should be in the best of spirits - new bargains are coming in and sales on last years goods are in process.

Double tough are the glass tumbler at Stones. Drop in, and the clerk will prove the durability of these tumblers by throwing the glass with a bang and a crash down the length of the store, without a crack or scratch. Not only this but they are just a handy size for everyday use.

February 14 is an important day in everyone's hearts, especially the lover. You'll find a complete assortment of valentines for your sweetheart, your mother, or a good friend, at the Merc.

Big and little sisters shoes, smartly styled for school and dress up are displayed at Burns Shoe Store. These shoes by Savage, are for longer healthier wear.

A different dress for your little school girl is the Alphabet Dress in the Broadway. These Avon Quality Cotton dresses are crease resistant and their shrinkage is controlled.

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Mr and Mrs. Clarence Smith accompanied by Mr and Mrs. Cliff Nalder were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs. Ralph Michelson in Lethbridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Phillips. Mable and Marilyn Veen were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Phillips in Lethbridge.

Alice Moriyama is in Edmonton where she is taking a specialized course in Lab. Technician and X-Ray.

The Home Builders Classes of the 4th Ward Primary entertained their parents at the Church on Friday evening. About 66 enjoyed games and lunch.

Stirling Stories

Home and School meeting was held on Wednesday evening in the school. A musical program and a talk on "the advantages and disadvantages of homework" by Mr. Krulack was enjoyed. Lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schnoor attended the funeral service in Warner for Mrs. John Putzi this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Barton enjoyed Monday in Lethbridge visiting their children Mr. and Mrs. Kieth Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hausseur and Mr. and Mrs. Dillon Erickson.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Spackman are moving to make their home in Kearn, Utah.

Fran Marquardson had Dorothy Hirsche, Anne Nelson, Pat Tobo, Terry Lenchuka and Marjorie Schnoor in for lunch after the H. and S. meeting.

The Stirling Lions Club are having their Annual Boxing Tournament on March 4th. The trophies are already on hand.

Karl Mertz will be showing his annual John Deere Show in the L.D.S. Hall on Feb. 8 at 1:30 p.m. Free lunch.

Frank Leavitt Former Resident Given Last Rites

Frank Wilford Leavitt was born in Leavitt November 5th, 1897 son of Mr and Mrs. Frank Leavitt. Later they moved to Glenwood. He married Verland Kirkham December 29, 1922 and to them two children were born, Mrs Betty Evans and F.L.T. Bert Leavitt of Penhold. They lived in Raymond for 17 years then moved to Port Hardy, B. C. and then to Blairmore in 1947. He suffered a heart attack to which he succumbed on January 27.

A funeral service was held in Blairmore on Sunday and in the Stake House on Monday.

Bishop J. O. Hicken conducted the service and the choir under the direction of Eleanor Hudson and Beth Walker accompanying at the organ sang as the opening song, "I Know That My Redeemer Lives" after which Heber Allen offered the opening prayer. Emma Dahl then played a organ solo. Edward Leavitt of Cardston was the first speaker and talked on the plan of salvation. Joe McLean then sang "I'm A Pilgrim" followed by remarks by Bishop Hicken. Who spoke on his friendship with the family and elaborated on life, death and eternity.

The choir then sang the closing song "Sometime We'll Understand, and Bishop Rulon Dahl offered the benediction. Interment was in the Temple Hill Cemetery and Bishop Jensen dedicated the grave.

Pallbearers were Cliff Nalder, Glen Tollestrup, Rayo Woolfe, Ross Larson, George Ralph and Ira McBride.

His brothers, Lawrence of Blockberg, Calif., Glen and his wife of Harden, Mont., and Kieth and wife of Shelby, Mont. were present also a sister, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Carter of Shelby, Mont. Other sisters, Mrs. Jean Hinmen and Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Goett of Calgary. A niece Mrs. June Neil of Shelby was also present. Other relatives were from Cardston and Taber, Dr. Reed Kirkham of Ogden, Utah and Bert Kirkham who is spending the winter in Ogden was also present.

Friends from Blairmore, Lethbridge Picture Butte and Taber besides the numerous friends of the family in Raymond filled the church for the services.

Alice Powelson was hostess to the Home Entertainers and Demonstrators last week when Alice Still demonstrated Fab Clean and Fab Spray. An enjoyable evening was had by all.

County Council Notes

A meeting was held in the County Office on Jan. 4th, 1955, with the Council members in attendance.

A motion was passed appointing A. E. Hancock of Raymond as Insurance Broker for the County of Warner No.5 Elmo Christensen of Raymond has hired as Shop Mechanic for the County in Warner.

The Secretary was instructed to employ an Office Assistant and Martin Gurney of Magrath was given the appointment.

Approval was given to the application of Ben Danielson of Coumts to operate a store in Coumts.

The annual meeting of the ratepayers of the County of Warner No. 5 will be held in the Warner School Auditorium on Saturday, Feb. 19th, at 1 p.m. W. G. Jones was appointed Returning Officer for the County of Warner for the year 1955. The following Deputy Returning Officers and Enumerators were appointed for the County Elections: J. O. Turner, Raymond - Vic Wright, Warner - Howard Brown, Raymond - Mrs. H. McCallum, Milk River and A. Ainscough, Coumts.

A committee was named to call for tenders on furniture for the Coumts and Warner School Additions.

Mrs. Catherine Drake was transferred from Miami Colony to teach Grade 1 in Warner School and Mrs. Lois Heggie of Raymond was hired to teach at the Miami Colony.

It was requested by the School Committee that the street east of the Warner School be closed.

Mrs. Lucia Zemp of Lethbridge was a weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Zemp and family.

LOCAL LEGION BRANCH TO STAGE "OVER THE TOP" SHOW

Plans are now being finalized by the local Canadian Legion Branch for the staging of the second "Over the Top" show. The first show produced and staged two years ago was an overwhelming success. This year the show will move into the larger premises of the new Recreation Hall.

"Over the Top" built on the theme of service life will star those well known comrades of comedy Shirley "Wayne" King and Bill "Shuster" Nalder, who will be supported by an all star cast of the best talent in Raymond and Southern Alberta.

We dropped in on the rehearsal set the other night to see if we could interview some of the stars. We managed to have a word with Co-star and director Shirley King. When asked how he would describe the 1955 edition of the show he just answered with one word "Magnificent". We bumped into Co-star and producer Bill Nalder just coming off set. We asked him for his version of the new show. He just beamed and said, "Colossal". We then cornered tenor soloist Bill Mehew who described it as not just another show not just another program but an outstanding performance. So there you have it folks, need we say more?

The 1955 edition of "Over The Top" which will get underway at the Recreation Hall at 8:30 p.m. on Feb. 16, will feature such well known performers as Walter Milton, Temple City Four, Tim Court and Co., Ethel Hickson, and Bill Mehew and many others.

The executive of the Canadian Legion wish to state that this show is being produced and cast locally and that proceeds from the show will be kept within the town in support of veterans welfare and polo fund.

Advance ticket sales - Thompson Furniture or any Legion Member.

P. R. O.

Claude Adamson of Rosemary was a weekend visitor in Raymond and Stirling.

Sugar Makers Credit Union Holds Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Sugar Makers Savings and Credit Union was held on Tuesday, Feb. 1st, in the Town Hall with President Jack Kenney in the chair and 28 members, or 31% of the membership present. Election of officers was carried out with Warner Jensen being installed as the new President with Earl Zemp, Karl Gehmlich George McMann, Boyd Nelson and Ken Restall completing the board. Derald West was re-elected to the Credit Committee and Leonard Watson was returned to the Supervisory Committee.

One of the best years since the Union was organized in 1940 was reported with share capital at the present time being \$48,728. During the past year \$61,455 was loaned to members, bringing the total loans since 1940 to \$434,000. The average share balance in the Union is now \$547 and at the meeting a dividend of 3 1/4% and a 10% rebate on interest paid by members was declared.

The Credit Union idea originated in Germany years ago and has now spread over almost all the world with Credit Unions everywhere making money available to members for countless purposes.

The local Union joined with the Central Credit Union of Alberta this year, making it another link in the world-encircling chain and enlarging what is already one of the biggest businesses in the world. Special insurance is written to cover both the loan and the life of Credit Union members by a mutual company that the member has a share in.

The annual party will be held in the Second Ward Hall on February 18, with members and their partners looking forward to another evening of fun and frolic at the banquet and dance.

What Happened At Council Meeting

Regular Meeting of the Council at 7 P.M. those present were Mayor Taylor and Councillors Wilde, Ralph, Salmon, Kenny and Galbraith.

MINUTES of previous meeting were read and adopted on the motion of Coun Salmon.

CASH STATEMENT was read and accepted on motion of Coun Wilde.

POLICE REPORT was read and accepted on motion of Coun Ralph (annual report for year).

WORK REPORT was given by Foreman Wm Hague and accepted on motion of Coun Kenny- he was asked to type it and have it put in minutes.

FIREMEN met the Council regarding safe phase of their work and especially country trips. Moved by Coun Ralph that the County of Warner be written that the County of Warner be written about the fire fighting situation in the country districts and ask them if they would furnish an auxiliary pump for use in fighting fires in County ward to be done by Raymond department The motion was carried.

MACHINE SHED- Coun Wilde presented a report size of machine shed needed and cost of metal and plywood- moved by Coun Ralph that further investigation be made on the matter. Carried A.J. Garner met the Council regarding a portion of land East of the stock yards on which the C.P.R. had built a corral and which he had transferred to C.P.R.- Mr. Garner thought the Town should compensate him as he had received nothing from the C.P.R. Matter was left to works and Property Committee for investigation on motion of Coun Ralph.

WATER TESTER- Coun Kenny moved that inquires be made as to the cost of a tester to test chlorine content of water. Carried Sec. was asked to write W.H. Westaway for methods of cleaning and replacing filter material in pressure filters.

WATER MAIN AND SERVICES- Wm Hague was asked to keep this data up to date with proper records and maps. GEO HAUGEN- wrote the council re a wage revision- this was tabled for a complete review of wages at a later date. Carried.

SCHOOL PATROL- letter of Raymond wishing the town to cover them with School Board re patrols were read Liability insurance- letter was tabled.

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Mr. and Mrs. Paul Redd entertained Sunday for the T. Geo. Woods who have left for an extended trip to Vancouver, Hawaii and on to Japan. Also present was the Louis Brandleys, Heber Allens and the Dean Nelsons of Spring Coulee.

The motif which was designed and made by Phil Meeks and class for the Fourth Ward Home Builders Snow Frolic were two jolly fat snowmen guarding the entrance to the snow fort and after welcoming remarks by Norma Zobell and prayer by Grace Mendenhall the wintry theme was continued. Under the direction of Roxie Hamilton, with Kay Redd as Whistle Blower, Blind Snow Man's Buff, Volley Snow Ball, Frozen Stiff Relay, and Snowshoe Shuffle were played as enthusiastically by the moms and dads as the girls.

While lunch - icecream snowballs on a doughnut base topped with chocolate sauce - was being prepared, Margaret Bridge led the group in some Fun Songs after which Lincoln Wood closed with prayer.

Local Man Appointed County Insurance Broker

Alma Hancock, of Raymond Agencies, has been appointed Insurance Broker for the County of Warner. This business was formerly done through British Canadian Trust of Lethbridge. The job entails making a survey of all properties owned and controlled by the County with an appraisal of values and insurance recommendations being made. A study of public liability will also be made.

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CHAMBER OF COMMERCE (continued from page one)

Two years ago the office in Red Deer was opened to give closer working relationship between the dominion organization, the provincial body and the individual Chambers. All Chambers of Commerce are business organizations working for good business, good citizenship and good government. The first Chamber was organized to protect and help its own members only but now it is for enlightened self-interest to help the whole community, working on the premise that what is good for business is good for the community and vice versa.

Mr. Griffin commended the local Chamber for opening membership to everyone saying that in some places membership is limited strictly to businessmen within the town, excluding the biggest businessman of all the farmer.

Chambers of Commerce are one of the greatest potentials for good in Canada if they are given the support of the individual citizen.

President Hancock expressed the gratitude of those present and the local Chamber to Mr. Griffin for his remarks and outlined briefly some of the projects the Chamber has been interested in here, natural gas, hard-surfaced road, reservoir road, and improvements to present Post Office or a new Post Office building. He said that while the Chamber did not hold many public meetings those interested in C of C work could always be found working for the betterment of Raymond and District.

Bob Salmon is now operating his construction business under the name of Salmon Construction with his shop located in the Mercantile Lumber building. Bob's slogan is "If its made of wood we'll build it". Anything from a medicine cabinet to a ranch style home.

Paul Woolley is up and about again after an appendectomy last week.

F.L. Bert and Mrs. Leavitt and children were guests of her mother, Mrs. Emma Dahl for a few days this week.

Olive Watson was hostess to a Stanley Tea on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hofer and Mr. and Mrs. Rex Meeks were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Christensen recently.

John Laqua is a patient in the St. Michaels Hospital.

The 4th Ward Deacons enjoyed a sleigh ride on Wednesday night. Judging from the barking dogs, laughing boys and the jingle of the sleigh bells and with Gordon Cooper as their leader they surely had a whale of a time.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clifton, Mr. and Mrs. Milo Douglas, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Heggie, and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Steffen were guests Saturday night of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hartley. Whist was played with honors going to Georgia Heggie and Milo Douglas received the "booby" A tasty lunch was enjoyed.

COUNCIL

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NATIONAL PAVING- letter re further pay for gravel in stockpile was read. Coun. Kenny moved that it be given further consideration at a later date. Carried.

HOCKEY CLUB- Letter of Jerry Bartosek of the local club was read requesting financial assistance. Coun. Galbraith moved that he be told that the town was not able to grant assistance at this time. Carried.

ASSESSOR- Offer of the Dept. of Municipal Affairs to do assessing in 1955 Department paying half the cost was read. Moved by Coun. Wilde that Dept. be requested to do the assessing for 1955, that council was satisfied with the job done but time put in was out of reason for work done that town would give Dept. another try this year and see results. Carried.

MARSHALL MILNER- Street Sec. informed the Council that street in question along with another street were given to Mr. Milner for \$50.00 stating that when streets were closed and title obtained a transfer would be issued to him. Moved by Coun. Salmon that Mr. Milner be told that he could either wait until such time as a number of streets were closed together as it did not pay to close one at a time or if he preferred his money would be refunded. Carried.

RETURNING OFFICER for Civic Election- moved by Coun. Galbraith that Wm Fairbanks be appointed returning officer with any extra being supplied by Town Employees. Carried.

E. FISHER HOUSE- R.W. Tollestrup was interested in trading his home for the Fisher place. Moved by Coun. Ralph that W.P. Committee look into the matter. Carried.

ZONING Cartwright building permit- Coun. Galbraith moved that W.P. Committee see these men and work out the matter. Carried.

DO IT NOW PROGRAM of the government to relieve unemployment was discussed- the Council expressed itself in favor of the program and agreed to cooperate.

WM HAGUE- Finance Committee with the Mayor agreed to meet next day regarding some financial arrangement with Mr. Hague.

PAY ROLL was read and ordered paid on motion of Coun. Kenny.

NATURAL GAS FRANCHISE- First reading was given to bylaw no. 493, on motion of Coun. Kenny seconded by Coun. Wilde, authorizing the Mayor and Secretary Treasurer to sign a 10 year franchise agreement with Canadian Western Natural Gas Co for supply of natural gas to the Town of Raymond on terms agreed upon. Carried.

Sec. was instructed to forward bylaw and agreement to Utility Board of approval. If approval was obtained then steps be taken to appoint a returning officer and call for a plebiscite. Meeting adjourned on motion of Coun. Salmon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Attwood entertained the Harold McKean, Joe Thompsons, Bill Attwoods, Mike Hofers, Roy Minions and Rev. and Mrs. Scott at a turkey dinner recently.



PUBLIC NOTICE

Plans for Alberta Golden Jubilee celebrations and activities this year, are being finalized and will be made known to all, when completed.

To date, no official publication or Golden Jubilee Directory has been undertaken or contemplated, by the Government of Alberta.

If any such publication is considered, an official announcement will be made.

You are therefore advised that any persons soliciting advertising or funds for such purposes, do so on their own behalf.

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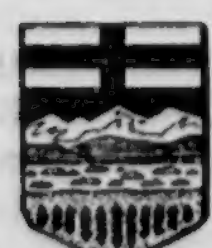
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Midge Fawns was hostess to the Home Entertainers and Demonstrators on Wednesday evening. Alice Still was the demonstrator and about twelve ladies enjoyed the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lamb and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bowden were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Findlay in Picture Butte on Sunday.

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Dr. Reed Kirkham of Ogden, Utah was a Raymond visitor for a few days this week. His father, Bert Kirkham, who was visiting him also came to be at the funeral services for Frank Leavitt.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ray Depew left Thursday for Salt Lake City to attend the funeral of Mrs. Depew's father, Ed Kesler, one of Raymond's first pioneers. He was past 90.

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The first natural gas pipeline was built by the Chinese in 940 B.C. by sending gas through bamboo poles to evaporate brine from salt.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jensen entertained 16 of their friends last Wednesday night when Rook was enjoyed as well as the lunch. Evan Jensen won top prize and Allan Jensen received the consolation.

The first natural gas pipeline in the U. S. A. was made of bored pine logs and was 25 miles long — the venture failed.

Mr. and Mrs. Evan Jensen were hosts to the 70 Quorum of Elders and their wives on Friday evening. Rook was played with Mr. and Mrs. Karl Gehmlich winning high score prize and consolation prize going to Mr. and Mrs. Harold McBride. Mr. and Mrs. Fay Walker were assistant hosts.

The Genier Neilsens, John Roberts, and Hene Phillips enjoyed a skating party Friday evening with lunch after at the Deb Thompsons.

A freak accident occurred last week when Vernon Garner and Bill Bowden were under Vernons new house: thawing out a water pipe, when Herb Bishop came to help Vernon lay linolium. Vernon and Herb were then in the room above where Bill left the blow torch burning while he went for repairs when the blow torch tipped over causing a fire. Vernon crawled under the house to get it just when it exploded in his hand. He was fortunate to escape with a few burns on his face and hand. The explosion was strong enough to knock out the big front window and the estimated damages were \$300.00.

The Allan Jensens entertained their Study Class Sunday evening. Jeannine gave the lesson, which was enjoyed as well as the nice lunch.

Mr. and Mrs. Mirza Pack entertained a number of their friends Friday evening.

Donny Ralph underwent another major operation in Calgary last week this is his 5th major operation.

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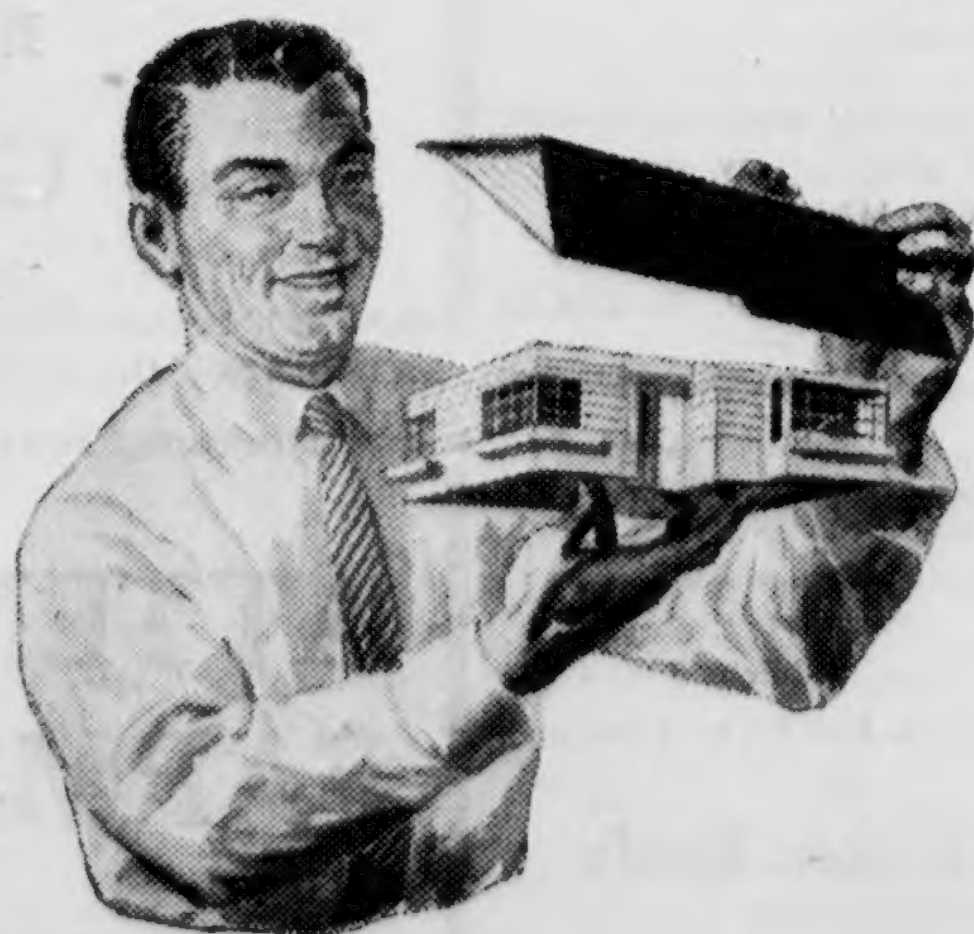
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TOURING THE TOWN

(continued from page one)
Fromm's Photographic Department is complete and offers the best in camera equipment. Any lens for any and every camera made is available.

Little white bags, with artificial daisies and poppies sprinkled about, small red purses for the shoulder or the hand are selling at the Broadway. For the little Miss dress up outfit buy one of these Glo-Belle bags, ranging from \$1.59 down in price.

Burns Shoe Store has some after skating boots. Those dumb cold feet will be well warmed in these wool lined cowhide boots.

Genuine hand painted dishes, that will attract anyone's eye are on display in the Gift Shop. This 32 piece set of Royal Staffordshire English dishes, is selling for \$34.50.

The Mercantile has all kinds of wallpaper in all the colors of the rainbow. When you start that spring cleaning get your wallpaper and linoleum at the Mercantile.

Make the most of this shopping month, by patronizing our home merchants.

Mrs. Fanny Litchfield spent Wednesday in Barnwell visiting her sister, Mrs. Ella Mercer.

Zelda Woolley has been chosen as the new Social Science teacher in the 2nd Ward Relief Society.

Mr. and Mrs. Redge Cooper and Mrs. Hazel Paxman and children were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Kitchen in Picture Butte.

Jean Nemeth of Norman Wells, N. W. T. is here for a 3 weeks visit with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Duncombe and reports she thinks we are really having Florida weather here as it was 50 below at her home.

Sports

LOCAL B BOYS TRAMPLE CARDESTON B BOYS.

Raymond Mustangs took advantage of Cardston Rouges sloppy passes and chalked up a score of 77 to 36. Raymond jumped into an early lead and never looked back to the final bell. Mustangs are also undefeated in league play and currently occupy first place.

For Mustangs starry Ted Jones took the spotlight as he turned in a red hot performance connecting for 23, Jerome Stettar followed closely with a sparkling 22 point effort.

For Rouges Loury chalked up 12. Line up
Raymond - Jones 23, Walker 7, Galbraith 12, Stetter 22, Vance 4, Hark 2, Kirkham 2, Tollestrup, Minion 5. Total 77.

Cardston - Tiegg, Wood 4, Loury 12, Baker, Richards 7, Olsen 4, Rutled, Hepler 4, Korn 3, Wright, Legvitt 2. Total 36.

JACKS TRIP ROCKETS IN THRILLER

Raymond Union Jacks gained two important points in the race for top spot as they dropped the Rockets here Saturday night in the Opera House before a capacity crowd of about 500.

Jacks jumped into an early lead and held it until the last quarter when the Rockets drew within 6 points of the Raymond cagers. However Jacks put down the rally and ended up 8 points ahead making the score read 76 to 68.

Ray Stevenson hit a hot lick as he struck for 27 points. Larry West was next with 22.

Al West currently in top spot in the IBL scoring race was held to 14 by Tom Karen the ex BYU Cougar star. West has a total of 336 points for the season while Tom Karen has 331.

Raymond - A. West 14, Stevenson 27, L. West 22, Shaw 8, Nalder 2, Fairbanks, Snow, Totals 76.
Magrath - Karren 17, Rice 18, Sabey 10, Matkin 10, Alston 9, Davies 4, Redd, Total 68.

COMETS POST EASY VICTORY OVER COUGARS

Once again the flashy Comets of Raymond displayed their skill and went on a scoring spree against the Temple City five. Comets as usual didnt start out with all they had although by half time they had racked up a one sided score of 49 - 20. At the start of the second half Comets rolled into high gear and began to put on pressure, giving the Cougars little chance to close the gap.

In league standing Raymond sits on top of the pack with a safe lead over the other four teams; Cardston, Lethbridge, Magrath and Medicine Hat. In the scoring department Don Attwood couldn't miss as he had a per night tumbling in 27 points. Next in line for the winners was Jess Gibb with 23 points, Dennis Minion, and Fred Henderson connected for 15 and 14.

For the losers no individual player stood out in scoring with every player on the score sheet.

Raymond - Gibb 23, Hicken 7, Minion 15, Attwood 27, Hirsche 7, Henderson 14, Vance 3, Stone, Total 96.

Cardston - Blackmore 2, Cahoon 6, Laidlaw 4, Spencer 7, L. Neilson 2, B. Neilson 8, Pierson 2, McConachie 4, D. Smith, Total 35.

Ron Minion

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Thompson had her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Patching of Lethbridge as guests on Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Thomson of Magrath were visitors on Tuesday at the L. B. Duncombe home.

Jimmy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Attwood celebrated his 7th birthday last week with a family turkey dinner.

Alice Birt and Vonna Hedenstrom were weekend guests of Miss Birt's mother in Calgary.

Mrs. Gertie Hicks is home after a few days as a patient in the hospital.

Mary Thompson enjoyed a visit in Vauxhall at the home of Mrs. Leah Jones recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Vanderhilt were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Monte Peterson in Lethbridge on Saturday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Hancock on January 31 a son.

NOTICE

The Raymond office will be closed all day Tuesday, Feb. 8th, but will be open Wednesday afternoon from 2 p.m. till 5 p.m. Feb. 9th.

Attending the Alberta Optometric Convention in Edmonton.
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OPTOMETRISTS

Forest Protection and Conservation in Alberta

Over half the total area of Alberta is covered with trees. Alberta's forests range along the eastern slopes of the Rocky Mountains and in the west-central and northern sections of the Province. These are of vital importance not only for the 400 million board feet of lumber cut each year and the fish and game they shelter, but also for their control of the water supply of the western part of Canada.



The protection and conservation of these resources are the responsibilities of the Forestry Branch of the Department of Lands and Forests.

For administration purposes, Alberta's forest area is divided into ten divisions or reserves. These are under the supervision of forest superintendents and their assistants who employ rangers, lookout men and casual laborers. Timber inspectors are stationed at Edmonton, Athabasca, Ennisville and Bowden.

Officers of the Forest Service are responsible for conservation, the prevention and suppression of fires and the proper harvesting and utilization of timber. In addition to their field duties, the men interpret acts and regulations administered by the Forestry Division for the public and work closely with the R.C.M.P. Further duties include assistance to tourists, hunter, fishermen and settlers, especially in connection with protection of forests from fires.



Fire is still the greatest enemy of our forested land and six out of seven fires are started by careless people. Despite the best efforts of the Forest Service and intensive publicity campaigns, over a million dollars worth of timber is lost each year.

The Forest Service radio system, essential in communication throughout the reserves, has been geared to the requirements of civil defence in Alberta.

Forests in the Crownest, Bow River and Clearwater Reserves are administered by the Eastern Rockies Forest Conservation Board. Since this area contains the headwaters of rivers helping to supply Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba, the work of the board is financed jointly by the Governments of Canada and Alberta.

Alberta's forest inventory being made from aerial photographs and ground surveys, provides an accurate measure of our resources. An effective forest management program is thus being carried on which, by selective cutting, assures a perpetual supply of timber for future generations.

The Fish and Game Branch plays an important part in the work of the Department of Lands and Forests. Conservation is the keynote here also. A trout hatchery is maintained in Calgary and a trout rearing station are located at two centres. Annual plantings of various species of fish are made in carefully selected waters and many smaller lakes owe their fish ing attractions to this work.

Commercial fishing in Alberta yields over ten million pounds annually, and an inspection service ensures a high quality product when packed or domestic and export markets.

The game Branch maintains a pheasant farm at Brooks where six to seven thousand birds are hatched for release in various parts of the province.

Other duties, no less important, include transporting live beaver to northern parts of Alberta, making surveys of migratory birds, upland birds and big game, and co-operation in the work of rabies control in our northern forests.

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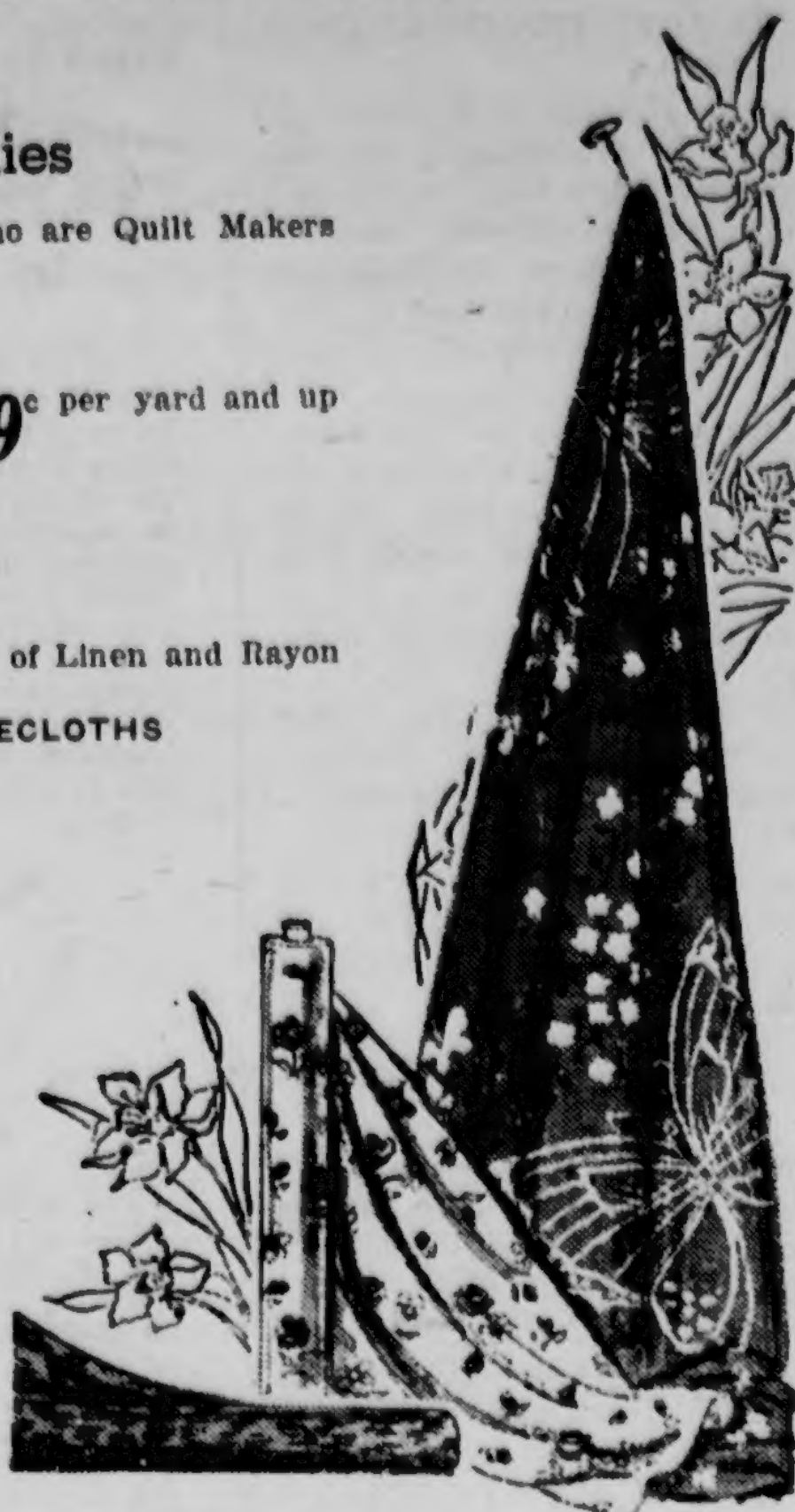
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from H.Q. Area Pay Office Edmonton
and Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Cope of Leth-
bridge were weekend guests at the
home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stevens.

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High School Report

A literary program was held in the
High School Gym, Friday January 28
Theodore Meeks was M. C. represent-
ing the grade 9B. "O Canada" was
sung and Theodore took over.

Allie Dee Vincent a talented pianist,
gave a piano selection which everyone
enjoyed. Jimmy Takahashi, a boy with
a fine voice gave a beautiful rendition
of "Count Your Blessings".

Phyllis Salmon brought smiles to
every face with her bright version of
"Lullaby of Broadway", livening the
song up with typical showgirl actions.

As an encore she sang "Hey There".
To the amazement of the students
David Mudge, a judge in a mock court
produced a lie detector - a large box
with wires on a cap extending, for the
purpose of clamping on the suspects
head. Officers, Kent Rolison and Ar-
thur Zobel delivered suspect, Jimmy
Takahashi to the chair. The lie detect-
or made a vicious noise like that of
the rattling of tin cans when a lie
was told. A confession finally came
out - Jimmy was guilty of the crime.

The awful truth as to how Joanne
Dawley got home the other night was
squeezed from her thanks to the lie
detector. Court was then adjourned.

A skit of Little Red Riding Hood,
with Eugena Viola as narrator was
put on. Barbara Tolstrup took the
part of Little Red Riding Hood, with
Allie Dee as her mother. Judy Vold
was the sly old wolf and Verla Terry
the grandma. The remainder of the
class were scattered about the stage
as flowers, trees and nuts. At the cli-
max of the story - when the wolf leapt
out at Red Riding Hood, she quick-
ly slipped a revolver from her basket
of goodies and shot the wolf dead. As
the narrator put it "You just can't fool
these modern girls."

Community singing concluded the
program.

The Comets and the Mustangs de-
feated Cardston on Jan. 28. Scores
were Comets - 93, Cougars - 42, and
Mustangs 77, and Rogues - 36.

— Amy Campbell

Laura Watson, Jeannine Jensen and
Gwen Hawkins accompanied Gil Ev-
ans and L. L. Palmer to Blairmore on
Sunday where they were on the pro-
gram at the funeral service held there
for Frank Leavitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Gibb and son
Brian and a friend Harry Olsen of Pic-
ture Butte were Sunday visitors of
Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. Kieth Turner had a-
bout 22 friends in for lunch after the
Green and Gold Ball Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Smith have
moved to Lethbridge where they are
both employed.

Mrs. Ted Witbeck and Mrs. Bill
Rodeback entertained jointly at a
turkey supper honoring their hus-
bands on their birthdays. Games were
enjoyed after the sumptuous meal and
Andy Lund won 1st prize and Milo
Douglas took home the "booby".

The Neighborhood Club met last
week at the home of Elda Garner. 16
members enjoyed handwork, chatting
and the lovely lunch.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McIsaac (Mary)
of Calgary visited with her parents,
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hervey on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Gergun were Sun-
day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs.
Chas. Daresnack of Milk River.

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